

WALSH IN PRISON STILL HAS HOPES

**BANKER LEAVES HOME TO
SERVE SENTENCE JUST TWO
YEARS AFTER CONVICTION.**

NEW TRIAL WAS DENIED HIM

**Will Serve Five Years for Misapplying
Funds of Chicago National Bank
of Which He Had Been Presi-
dent and Chief Officer.**

Leavenworth, Jan. 19.—John R. Walsh, 72 years old, who began his business career as a newsboy and later acquired millions in banks, railroads, newspapers and coal fields, arrived at the federal prison here today to begin a five years' sentence for misapplying the funds of the Chicago National bank, of which he had been president.

His journey from Chicago followed a denial by the United States circuit court of appeals to his petition for a new trial, based on ground of alleged misconduct of the jurors who found him guilty.

More Legal Fight Rumors.

While Mr. Walsh was on his way to Leavenworth, in charge of United States Marshal L. T. Hoy and Deputy Marshal Thomas Middleton, a life-long friend, and accompanied by John W. Walsh, his son, and Lee Babcock and Dr. L. Blake Baldwin, his son-in-law, Attorney E. C. Ritscher, his financial counsel, a rumor was circulated that a desperate effort would be made to get the prisoner off the trial by a habeas corpus proceeding.

It was reported that Judge L. Sanborn of the United States district court had been summoned from Madison, Wis., and that James Hamilton Lewis would endeavor to obtain a writ from him.

The ground on which the writ might be issued was not revealed, but it was reported that the allegation would be made that other than members of the grand jury were present in the grand jury room when Walsh was indicted.

Prisoner in Good Spirits.

By a coincidence Walsh started to prison on exactly two years after he had been found guilty. It was on January 18, 1908, that a jury in Federal Judge Anderson's court brought in a verdict.

The scene in the court room, when Judge Landis ordered Mr. Walsh to be present at the formal entering of the commitment, was dramatic.

"Keep up your spirits," said his friends.

"I will," replied the aged prisoner. "I'll go down there with the same spirit that I have shown right along."

In order to save time Mr. Walsh was hurried in an automobile to his home to bid his wife good-bye, and then was taken to the station.

GERMANY DIGS UP COOK

Discredited Arctic Explorer in Sanitarium Near Heidelberg, Suffering From Melancholia.

Frankfurt, Germany, Jan. 19.—The Frankfort Zeitung is authority for the statement that Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the discredited Arctic explorer, is in a sanitarium near Heidelberg, suffering from a serious physical collapse. The correspondent says the doctor's nerves are shattered, and that his mind is in danger of derangement from melancholia.

It is reported that Mrs. Cook is with her husband, but the correspondent has been unable to verify this.

Ballinger Will Not Resign.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Secretary Ballinger made it plain that he does not intend to resign under fire. When told of a report that he was to be succeeded by a man from Oklahoma, the secretary showed some heat. "I don't intend to resign while there is anything to fight," he said. "That can not be made too plain. That matter is final and will answer this resignation rumor whenever it comes up in the future."

Prisoners Lock Up Jail.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 19.—After beating, choking and stamping jailer John Boone, five prisoners at the Camden county jail, wrapped him in a blanket, threw him in a cell and made their escape. One of the prisoners was later captured. Eight prisoners did not take advantage of the chance to escape.

Six Nations Get Minimum Tariff.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—The president issued the proclamation in which it is declared that under the new tariff law the countries of Italy, Great Britain, Russia, Spain, Turkey and Switzerland are entitled to the minimum rate imposed by that act.

Woman Gun Toter Sent to Jail.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 19.—New Police Judge Charles Hall sent a woman to the state reformatory for 160 days because she had a revolver in her dress.

House Adopts Pinchot Report.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 19.—The conference report on the Ballinger-Pinchot resolution was adopted unanimously by the house.

COLORED COLUMN

S. R. DRIVER, EDITOR

In spite of the inclemency of the weather last Sunday the churches were all comfortably filled.

Rev. Parlett was up from Dawson and preached one of his soul inspiring sermons at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Laura Hancock has developed into a full fledged nurse.

Rev. C. C. Parker, of Madisonville, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Collins gave a dinner in honor of the birthday of Rev. J. R. Evans.

Quite a number of distinguished friends were present. The table groaned beneath its luxurious load. Five courses were served and the happy participants each gave Rev. Evans a handsome present.

The stork left a fine boy at the residence of John Gull. Mother and child doing well.

The stork left a fine boy at the residence of Mrs. George Edmons.

Mrs. John Christian is quite sick at this writing.

Rev. P. Dennis, Jr., and Wm. Dickerson passed through here on their way to Corydon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Childers are convalescent.

L. E. Edmonson, who has been quite sick, is able to be out at this writing.

Miss Beatrice Hawkins is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. Mary Holsey, of Danville, Ind., is visiting Miss Ella Hawkins.

Last Sunday was quite a gala day at Pleasant Grove Baptist Sunday school. The official election was held. The following officers were elected: R. J. Wilkes, superintendent; Miss Jessie B. Wynn, secretary. The officers of the B. Y. P. U. were elected and installed. Bro. Garfield Smith, president; after which a soul stirring sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. P. D. Gordon, from Josh. 24, 15 and 16 verses. Collection \$8.50.

Yo editor is able to walk out a little every day and hopes to be soon able to fill his place on the tipple.

Miss Mallie O'Brien is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Sallie Bledsoe, of St. Charles, visited her mother, Mrs. Isabel, last week.

Mrs. Jennie Woodson was visiting her daughter last week.

Among the sick are Mr. and Mrs. Abe Osborne, Mrs. Nannie Frazier, Mrs. Luther Hines and Calvin Panky. We hope they will soon be restored to health.

Thomas Willis, of Pembroke, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Henrietta Isabel.

Rev. Beuford, of Tennessee, preached at 11 o'clock Sunday at the Zion church.

We are much pleased to hear of our friend, Dr. Van Davis, of Paducah, who was appointed surgeon in the regular army, with the rank of Brigadier General.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Rev. R. H. C. Mitchell, late of Henderson, who died at Maysville lately.

Rev. Evans wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Collins, for their hospitality and the many members of the church and Sunday school for their splendid storm party given him and family last Friday night and the many birthday presents received Sunday. Indeed the church and all of its departments seems to be taking on new life. During the year of 1910 we want to do great things for God, and expect great things from God.

LIFE-SAVING DEVICE SAVES

Float Quickly Loosened From Lashings and Thrown to Man Swept Overboard.

New York, Jan. 17.—At the height of a severe storm at sea, Michael Ryan, a sailor on the Philadelphia, was swept overboard by a wave and was rescued against great odds. It was the first real test of a new contrivance for securing and quickly releasing life preservers. Charles S. Lenz, is master-at-arms on the steamer. He had loosened a life preserver from the lashing he had invented and threw it within 15 feet of Ryan. When the steamer was brought to a stop Ryan was holding to the life preserver fully a half-mile away.

Institution to Cure "The Blues."

Boston, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Martha Jones a resident of this city and widow of the late Frank Jones, the millionaire brewer of Portsmouth, N. H., has turned over her extensive estate, Echo Park, to Dr. Boris Sidis of Harvard for such a sanatorium to cure the "Blues."

Dropped Dead After Prayer.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 17.—After repeating the Lord's prayer in the Christian church at Fairbury, Mrs. Lorinda Anderson, a pioneer of that

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